

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
AT KNOXVILLE**

**JANE DOE,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**THE DIOCESE OF KNOXVILLE,  
ANTONY PUNNACKAL and  
CARMELITES OF MARY  
IMMACULATE,**

**Defendants.**

**No.: 3:22-cv-00401- CEA-DCP**

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**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

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Pursuant to the Court's March 3, 2023 Order staying this action, this is a Joint Status Report filed by all parties of record regarding the status of Defendant Antony Punnackal's ("Defendant Punnackal") criminal matter pending in Sevier County Criminal Court.

The trial in Defendant Punnackal's criminal matter was set to begin on September 7, 2023. Due to the unavailability of necessary witnesses, the trial was continued, and it is currently scheduled to begin on November 15, 2023.

Therefore, due to the continued pendency of Defendant Punnackal's state criminal matter, the current stay in this action pursuant to 18 U.S.C.A § 1595(b)(1) is still necessary.

Respectfully submitted, this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2023.

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